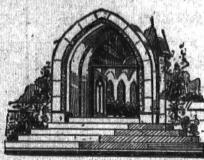


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FIRST AID EXAM. RESULTS

Following are the results of the examinations in First Aid conducted recently at the Blairmore Central school, with Dr. H. Blair Rose, of Hillcrest; Fred Padgett, Ben Milnes, Joe Shevels and Joe Morris, Bellevue, and Harold Chamberlain, Blairmore, as examiners. Successful:

Ladies, first year—Mrs. M. H. Congdon, Mrs. J. A. Cawsey, Mrs. C. Fabro, Mrs. J. V. McDougall, Mrs. B. Hobson; Misses Ruth Oakes, Frances Tompkins, Helen Dukil, Ivy Snod and Elizabeth Giza. Second year—Mrs. I. Evans, Misses Margaret Patterson, Marjorie Cawsey, Alice Picard and Ellis Maddison. Third year—Mrs. H. Pinkney and Miss Greta Cawsey. Fourth year—Miss Edith Oakes. Sixth year—Mrs. W. Lord. Juniors—Mary Giles, Mildred Mottl, Veronice Dobek, Anna Kubik, Dorothy Wislett, Peter Blas and Irene Diamond.

Men, first year—Stanley Confort, Donald Rees, Lenhart Kunlin, Malcolm Blake, Archie Hobson, Vacilar Mottl and Rocco Curcio. Second year—Allan May, John Yanota, Carl Turlik, William Stewart, Tom Gibbs, Edwin Peters, Lenard Peters, Robert Erikson, Beecher Wilson, Norman Walker, John Stewart and Peter Naslund. Third year—Gustav Erickson and Joe Morency. Fourth year—Douglas Wilson, Joe Amatto, Ian Walker, Vernon Decoux, John Huchala and Arthur Decoux. Fifth year—Norman Packer, Arthur Williams and Frank Wislett. Eighth year—Alex McKay.

BELLEVUE HAPPENINGS

Mr. L. Hutton is a Calgary visitor. Mrs. H. Harrison is a Medicine Hat visitor this week.

Mrs. J. Hill entertained at bridge on Friday evening.

Mrs. M. D. McEachern entertained on Monday evening.

Mrs. J. R. McDonald, of Calgary, is visiting with Mrs. J. D. McDonald.

The whist and bridge drive held in the Catholic hall on Friday evening, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the B.E.S.D., was quite well attended. Ladies' and gents' whist prizes went to Mrs. J. Ryumaer and Mrs. J. Hilliard; and bridge prizes to Mrs. F. Hallworth and Mrs. McDonald. Afterward cards, a dainty luncheon was served.

Jack Dudley, of Hillcrest, has been appointed returning officer for the Pincher Creek - Crows' Nest constituency in the forthcoming provincial election.

The Calgary St. David's Society are holding their annual banquet at the Renfrew Club, Calgary, on Friday, March 1st. A Welsh church service will also be held at the Sons of England hall on Sunday evening, March 3.

C. J. TOMPKINS IS INDEPENDENTS' CHOICE



WHO MAY VOTE IN FEDERAL ELECTION?

The Dominion Elections Act, 1938, has the following requirements for a voter in the federal election: He must be 21 years of age on or before the polling day; British subject by birth or naturalization, ordinarily resident in the dominion twelve months immediately preceding polling day, and resident in the electoral district at the date of issue of the writ for the election.

Every person is a British subject who (a) is born in any of His Majesty's Dominions or on a British ship, no matter what was the nationality of his or her parents; (b) was born elsewhere of a father who, at the time of the child's birth, was a British subject; (c) or has been personally naturalized under the Imperial Naturalization Act in Canada or in other of the Dominions; (d) or has had his name included in certificate of naturalization granted a parent under the same Act; (e) is the child of a person naturalized in Canada before January 1, 1918, other than under the Imperial Naturalization Act, and was a minor and a resident of Canada at the same time of the naturalization of the parents.

A woman becomes a British subject if she has married a man who at the date of marriage was born or naturalized British subject; or if she married a man who was at time of marriage, but became naturalized prior to January 15, 1932.

If a woman marries an alien who becomes naturalized after January 15, 1932, she may acquire citizenship by registering a declaration that she desires to acquire British nationality.

There are several ways in which British nationality may be lost. An individual may become naturalized in another country; or if naturalized in Canada, the certificate of naturalization cancelled.

A woman who before January 15, 1932, married a man who at date of marriage was not a British subject, loses her citizenship. A woman who after January 15, 1932, marries an alien by virtue of the marriage acquired her husband's nationality. A woman whose husband has ceased to be a British subject may register a declaration that she desires to retain her British nationality; otherwise she acquires her husband's change of allegiance.

accord with the meeting, they should leave. Following this, Mr. Horne was given the opportunity to express his views, in which he stated that the miners had not been represented in any measures taken to secure a candidate. This brought C. J. Bundy of Cowley, to the platform, who stated that invitations had been sent to all labor organizations, but none had taken any action to indicate their support or their views. Neil Nicholson, vice-president, stated this meeting having been called as a nomination meeting, it should confine itself to that purpose.

In closing, an appeal was made by Mr. Nicholson that all in favor of the candidate should help to pay the campaign expenses, and a subscription list would be opened. A considerable sum was subscribed at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. Gillis, of Blairmore, and Mrs. F. T. Edwards, of Pincher Creek, assured the meeting, on behalf of the ladies present, that they would do their part in helping to elect Mr. Tompkins.

The meeting closed with rousing cheers for the candidate and the national anthem.

From Coleman over 50 delegates attended, and thanks is expressed by the association's executive to those who took people in their cars. Further organization will be proceeded in and in Coleman Mr. H. C. McBurney will act as treasurer of the election campaign fund.

NEW BOOKS ADDED TO BLAIRMORE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Among the books recently added to the Blairmore Public Library are the following: "The Danube," Lenyge; "Vanishing Frontiers," Godsell; "The Great Chemists," Jaffe; "Reaching For The Stars," Waln; "Missa Suite Singles," Tucker; "Dr. Hudson's Secret Journal," Douglas; "The Nile," Ludwig; "Western Union," Zane Grey; "The Stars Look Down," Cronin; "Mr. Emmanuel," Golding; "Tree of Liberty," Page; "Arrogant History of White Ben," Dane; "The Champion Road," McDowell; "The Black Camel," Bigger; "The Chinese Orange," Queen; "Case of the Caretaker's Cat," Gardner; "As the Pines Grow," Wise; "The Big Show," Cooke.

A copy of "Across Canada," the beautiful souvenir book compiled jointly by the C.N.R. and C.P.R., following the visit of the King and Queen, has been placed in the library.

Another interesting book recently received is "Seeing For Myself," by Dr. Cora E. Hind. This is an account of Miss Hind's two-year trip around the world, dealing particularly with agricultural conditions, but also introducing many items of social, historical, scenic and other interests. Miss Hind is well known throughout the West as an authority on agricultural matters and a pioneer journalist.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Moses Thibart is a patient in St. Vincent's hospital at Pincher Creek, suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

Gerard Diamond has gone to Ottawa, where he has a position in the civil service.

The annual meeting of ratepayers of the Municipal District of Livingstone No. 70 was held in Cowley on Saturday last, with a large attendance.

W. Potter, returning officer, was in the chair. The annual financial statement was read, and after due consideration accepted. Discussions took place re road work, relief and wheat bonus. In the latter case it appeared that the Dominion government had not surveyed the townships west of the fifth meridian, and consequently no bonus had been paid, and apparently nothing done toward it.

From information given at this meeting, steps will be taken to secure payment. Nomination for councillors resulted as follows: Division 1, J. Johnson, elected by acclamation; Division 2, J. W. Fortier and Roy R. Buchan; Division 5, Marcel Dejax and John L. Owen.

E. L. Gray, Liberal leader, will contest the Bow Valley - Empress constituency as an independent.

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There must be such a thing as New Democracy, for J. W. Blackmore, who fell successfully for the Social Credit myth, is a victim for the new idea. Blackmore is a former schoolteacher. He's not the only one of that category who could see no further than Aberhart. Must have been brought up from the cradle under the training hand of a big boss or dictator. Several clerics have fallen similarly, believing that Abie was a minister of the gospel.

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CHAPTER XIV.—Continued

"Heather, Heather, girl," soothed McCord, "you're tired and worried. You don't mean what you say. We're going back all safe and sound. Honey, and we have a fortune with us. McQueen'll never bother this outfit—if he's alive, but he's not. We'll never see hide or hair of McQueen again. The Naskapi took care of him."

"The Naskapi may take care of us, too," she objected, winking back the tears her eyes had around.

"No, Heather," said Alan. "The Naskapi don't winter in the Kok-sue valley, Napayo told me. They probably in the timbered lake country, hundreds of miles south of here, by now."

"Then where is poor Napayo?" she cried. "You say McQueen is dead and the Indians are not near us, and yet you're going to look for signs of both McQueen and the Indians. Neither of you believe what you say! You're only trying to keep your fears from me!"

In the morning, the river answered Heather's question. When Alan and Noel went down to the shore to the hole they kept broken in the ice for water, they saw something drifting in the swift, unfrozen channel.

"What's that, floating out there beyond the ice in the channel, Noel?" asked Alan. "Couldn't be a deer, could it?"

The Montagnais gazed at the submerged form reaching out from a bar. Seeing Noel's fear, his features grew colorless; his hair, features grave. "We take deer dead high," he said. "No deer. Deer die high."

As they ran the canoe out over the shore ice and into the open channel Alan knew that the dread in Noel's heart was the same dread that sickened him as they poled the canoe up to the submerged shape bobbing at the ice edge. They turned over the battered body, floating face down, and looked into the glazed staring eyes of Napayo.

"They got him, Noel! They got him!" groaned Alan. "Look at that hole in his head and there's another in the back. See? He was shot from the rear! No muzzle loader did that. That was made by a Renard. And that's how he got it."

"How day come up dis river?" demanded Noel, dashed with the grim evidence of the presence of McQueen somewhere above them on the River of Skulls.

"They must have crossed from the Koksoak and struck the migration." Alan sadly surveyed the broken body of the Indian boy who had been their friend. "Poor Napayo!"

"He's with his people now. No more

fear of starvation for him. They shot him in cold blood, Noel! Shot him in the back! And they pay for it!"

"He was good fren' of me," lamented Noel, his dark face distorted with grief. Suddenly he stood up in the canoe, and, drawing his knife, raised it above the frozen body in the water. "For dis time, Napayo, McQueen weal pay to us!" he said, and, for a moment, held the knife blade against his forehead in consumption of the Montagnais oath.

They hurried Napayo's battered body up among the spruces, and there they buried it under a pile of small boulders to protect it from the wolverines and the foxes. Kneeling, Heather said a prayer for the soul of the untutored boy who had given them his trust and devotion.

The next few days Alan announced when the four gathered for a council of war, "we spend in eaching, somewhere back in the spruce, the gold and all our food and outfit for the trip home. We're being watched. Some night, they may try to surprise us, but we'll keep the dogs on light leashes they can break, in a circle around the camp. They can't get by the dogs."

John McCord ran his fingers through his thick yellow hair as he faced the perplexity and amazement under which he labored.

"I can't realize it!" McQueen getting past the Naskapi—and following us clear through to this gorge, Canada's 100,000 Boy Scouts will swing into wartime action with a "good turn" service for the homes of all enlisted men in the Dominion.

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A special emblem has been designed for all Scouts taking active part in the scheme, bearing a crest consisting of the Scout emblem on a Maple Leaf, with the words, "Boy Scouts National Service".

The Scouts will be asked to begin at once to get in touch with every soldier's family in their community, and ascertain how each can assist. A variety of help can be assisted—such work as shoveling snow, bringing in fuel, disposing of ashes, and in rural areas Scouts may help by taking care of live stock, looking after gardens.

The afternoon before the start, John and Noel were back in the scrub with the team drawing fire wood. It was two o'clock when the dusk was fast gathering in the valley. Before Heather's double tent, wind-breaker with a brush barrier filled in with snow, and heated with the portable folding stove, Alan and the girl stood talking. Framed in the wild-hair rim of the hood of her caribou coat, her cheeks flushed with the violet eyes brilliant with health, she drew Alan Cameron close, her fingers drawn steel. Never since that walk on the barren, when he had told her what she had come to mean to him, had Heather allowed Alan to talk to her alone, until this day when they had gone back on the frozen tundra for pemmican. And through the two hours that their shoes etched their webbed trail on the snow, she had refused to listen when he started to talk of what lay deep in his heart. So he had given it up and now stood looking down into her anxious eyes.

"I haven't told you, Alan, that I've had another terrible dream," she said. "I can't throw it off. It haunts me!"

"There's nothing in dreams, Heather."

"But this one was so vivid. Poor Napayo came to warn me. He talked in his native tongue and I couldn't understand him. But he pointed to

his wounds, and his face—oh, I can't forget his poor battered face, just as you found him, Alan. There was such agony in it! He tried so hard to make me understand."

Deeply moved, the girl stood, her eyes stony with tears as she talked there in the bitter air to the man who loved her. With a rush of tenderness that swept him off his feet, he took her, unwilling, into his arms.

"You must not think of it—the dream!" he murmured, trembling. "Nothing is going to happen to us, Heather! Nothing! I love you! I love you!"

He kissed her cheek, her mouth sobbing she clung to him, madly returning his kisses. Then, as if walking from a dream, she broke from his arms.

"Oh, what am I doing? What am I doing?" she cried. "You're only trying to forget her! You're lonely and trying to forget her!"

"I've long since forgotten her. I've loved you, Heather, for months! Won't you believe me? Won't you?" They heard the voices of the men returning with the dogs. "I love you," he said, huskily. "Some day you'll believe me! Some day you'll know!"

(To Be Continued)

Begins Life Over Again

Check Refugee Is Now Established On A Farm In Ontario

Two years ago Dr. Felix Redlich was a leader of Czech-Slovakian life. A friend of Eduard Benes, he was a director of banks, headed a company which owned several sugar companies, and was internationally known for his work on a sugar cartel.

Today, exiled from his Nazi-seized fatherland, Dr. Redlich is starting life over again on a little tobacco farm in the western Ontario tobacco belt. With him are his wife and his young step-daughter.

Dr. Redlich credits his escape from Czech-Slovakia to his wife's intuition. A few hours before the Germans invaded Prague, his wife phoned him at his office and urged him to leave, he said. Heeding her advice, he took a train to the German border and then travelled 600 miles through Germany to Switzerland.

With the help of friends his family was able to leave Czech-Slovakia after him, salvaging the little of their fortune which is now invested in the tobacco farm.

Dr. Redlich said he was attracted to Canada by reading Max de la Roche's "Jaina," a story of Ontario farm life.

"In Canada there still live ideals of justice and free discussion," he said. "They have died in central Europe."

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Thirty-two countries joined in the Boy Scout movement originally, with Italy and Germany dropping out later, and 20 new countries joining the movement.

Giant peanuts, with kernels larger than the entire shell of previously known varieties, have been discovered in Brazil.

There are at least 462 tons of dust in suspension over New York City.

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Elections In Winter

There have been five general elections in the so-called winter months since Confederation, although the tendency has always been to have the polling at a time when travel in country districts is easy. The following winter elections have been held since 1867: April 22, 1887; Feb. 22, 1891; March 5, 1917; Dec. 17, 1921; Dec. 6,

Refugees in Canada

Much Has Been Accomplished By Committee In A Short Period

Going about its work quietly but effectively the Canadian National Committee on Refugees has accomplished much in a short period. The hand of friendship has been extended generously to these unhappy victims of persecution and to families utterly dislocated by war. The refugees are carefully chosen from amongst Germans, Austrians, Poles and Czechoslovakians. All have proven their detestation of the dictator states and the chief religions are equally represented.

Many of these people seeking homes in a country of just and liberal laws will prove a real asset to the Dominion. The majority are well educated, possess considerable capital in number of cases were leaders in business in the arts, science and scholarship in their own countries. Others have brought with them considerable capital to establish themselves or invest in Canadian industry.

The most serious problem confronting the committee is the proper settlement of young children from three to 18 years of age. They are the innocent victims of a hate they cannot understand and in England they have received most generous treatment, nearly 10,000 having been adopted or properly cared for. The Canadian committee would like to settle as many as possible of such children in the Dominion. The committee appointed to supervise this work in connection with all social and welfare agencies in the country have decided on a preliminary campaign to settle in adopted homes at least 1,000 children. Private individuals have contributed generously to the movement and more money is needed for the children's transportation and for other branches of the work.

This whole project seems to be deserving of hearty support. These children coming of good stock, properly placed in good homes in Canada should prove a real asset to the country—Ottawa Journal.

Claim Is Amusing

German Writer Says Superiority Of Nazis Warrants Best Living Conditions

Dr. Robert Ley, Labor Front leader, writing in the Berlin newspaper, Der Angriff, said that the superiority of the German peoples supported their claim to better living conditions.

"The Italian people living under Fascism have returned to the way of life under which they once can live. Similarly, the Russians can live under the jurisdiction of laws suitable for them," he said. But, he added, peoples of the "low races" require less living space, less clothes and less food than peoples of "high" races.

"Germans," Dr. Ley said, "can not be expected to live under the same conditions as Poles and Jews."

"Poles and especially Jews fare well under the conditions of life which exist in Warsaw. They remain quite healthy. But the National Socialist (Nazi) Germans would die if we forced to live under such conditions."

GEMS OF THOUGHT

CHOOSING

Happy is the man who hears Instruction's warning voice;

And who celestial wisdom makes His early, only choice.

—Michael Bruce.

Choose the best way of life, and habit will soon make it pleasant for you—Pythagoras.

A well-governed mind learns in time to find pleasure in nothing but the true and the just—Ametil.

The objects we pursue and the spirit we manifest reveal our stand-point, and show what we are winning—Mary Baker Eddy.

I isn't the man who knows the most, but the man that knows the best, that's wisest.—Anon.

From now, guard your thoughts; for it is true that yesterday's wrong thought gives birth to the trials of to-day. It is equally certain that to-day's right thinking will generate joy for the morrow.—Hope La Galliene.

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Police have found in the past that those hold-up men, gamblers and hoodlums of other criminals have been taking full advantage of the laxity of owners in leaving their old plates lying about. They gather up as many sets as they can lay hands on and keep switching them at frequent intervals on the cars they drive. By this time police have checked up on the first set the criminals have switched to another and another false claim must be investigated.

So, in the public interest, don't leave your old plates lying about. Get rid of them—but first wreck them so that they cannot be patched up and used again.—Owen Sound Sun-Times.

Well-Known Archaeologist

Late Harlan I. Smith Had An International Reputation

Harlan I. Smith, whose death is reported from Ottawa, was an archaeologist with an international reputation, and an enthusiasm for his work which nothing could quench. He had a very wide field experience on this continent and had written numerous monographs on his finds.

Mr. Smith was a good friend of British Columbia. Many a summer he spent in this province investigating the archaeology of the Thompson River and the Okanagan. Long ago he shall bequeath on the Lower Fraser, studying Indian art and lore and legend in the Queen Charlotte and about Bella Coola, and making motion pictures of Indian ceremonial which are fast disappearing—Vancouver Province.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

Miss Berta Harmer is a visitor with her sister, Mrs. W. Porter, at Lethbridge.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Snod, junior, at Cole-
man on February the 17th.

Sappers Harmer, Stella and Chappell, of the Royal Canadian Engineers, Calgary, spent the week-end at their homes here.

The British Canadian Trust Com-
pany, of Lethbridge, has been appoint-
ed trustees of the property of Joe
Slepak, Jr., Coleman grocer who re-
cently went into bankruptcy.

By astronomical signs, Hitler is to
die before the end of March. It is
said that his bodyguard has recently
been increased, some of whom are
sworn to suicide if he is killed.

Many people in the Innisfail district
are of the impression that "Sousa,"
the financial wizard, was none other
than a Mr. Suce, one-time sewing
machine agent there, and the people
would like to bask in the reflected
glory of a fellow townsman who
nearly put one over.

A dog chasing a cat at Hillcrest a
few days ago leaped onto a sharp
splinter of wood, which entered the
lower part of the body and pierced
the skin of the upper part, apparently
without touching the intestines or a
blood vessel. Released, the animal is
said to have recovered.

Under secretary of state, Sumner
Welles, sailed from New York on the
Italian liner Rex on Saturday to ex-
plore the possibilities for peace in
Europe. The personal emissary of
President Roosevelt to Italy, Ger-
many, France and England, left without
making a statement, but indicated
he would start for home by the end
of March.

Waterton Park school was closed
on Wednesday of last week out of re-
spect for the late Lord Tweedsmuir.
Four years ago, His Excellency vis-
ited Waterton and was met at the gates
by the school children and the then
principal, Mr. R. Folson. The group
sang "O Canada" and "God Save The
King," after which His Excellency
smilingly decreed that they be given
the remainder of the day holiday from
classes. The kindly dignity of this
Scottish scholar, who was also the
Dominion representative of His Ma-
jesty King George, will not readily be
forgotten by the children of that com-
munity.

A condition has developed, too, which
demands action by thinking people in
order to save the province from more
disastrous experiences than we have
witnessed in the past four years. The
policy and actions of Premier Aber-
hart have encouraged people to ignore
their obligations, to beat their credi-
tors and to wreck the credit standing
of Alberta. Under the cloak of relig-
ious appeal a most vicious continued
campaign of veiled slander has been
carried on, creating a far greater de-
gree of ill-feeling than any one man
in the public life of Alberta has ever
been guilty of. Of this resentment is
born the movement for independent
political action, under which will com-
bine all those whose desire is for a
return of honesty and sanity in hand-
ling the people's affairs—Coleman
Journal.

AMY CLUTTER UP THE NEST:
Dedicated to Premier Wm. Aberhart

Part I.
I worked for your election, Mr. Wil-
liam Aberhart.

Through all the long campaign I fre-
quently did my humble part;
I argued and I pleaded, I explained
and I cajoled,

I helped to count the ballots when you
landslide vote was polled.

At first it caused me some surprise,
and later, deep dismay;

To see you mill and muddle and frit-
ter time away;

At last, grown weary of your slack,
venture to suggest

You ought to try to lay an egg—or
else get off the nest.

Well, sir, all this transpired back in
nineteen thirty-six;

The years have dragged away, but
still we're in the same old fix;

So once again I feel the urge to grasp
my trusty pen,

Herewith expose your perfidy before
the sight of men,

To strip away your subterfuge, fear
off your fine disguise,

And lay the truth about you stark be-
fore the people's eyes.

You cry how hard the battle goes,
how bitter each defeat,

The thing that you try hardest is to
hide your vile deceit;

Although I speak with satire, sir, you
know this is no jest;

You've never tried to lay the egg

—why clutter up the nest?

I speak hot, sir, as one who said "It
really can't be done,"

On contra, I am still convinced we had
the battle won;

We had no lack of unity, we had no
lack of plan,

We only erred in thinking that our
leader was a man.

The Records Tell the Story and 'tis
plain for all to read

How every word you spoke found con-
tradiction in your deed.

A most amazing record, sir, of flound-
erings and flops,

A weird, fantastic series of "Reverses,
Starts and Stops"

And after each convulsion, sir, we
found we'd retrogressed;

You never tried to lay the egg—why
clutter up the nest?

Part II.

The Judas was a piker, Sir, for he
betrayed but One,

Then felt remorse and hanged himself
because of what he'd done;

But you betrayed the human race and
felt repentance not,

Iscariot got thirty coins—we don't
know what you got.

As each successive scheme blows up,
you shed your saurian tears,

Then deftly drop another monkey
wrench amongst the gears;

To every Social Progress you're a
drawback and a pest;

You never tried to lay the egg—why
clutter up the nest?

Thus far, my observations have been
general in their scope,

I've stated my conclusions, in succeed-

ing weeks I hope

To prove that you have wilfully our
every hope debased,

Revealing to your people how their
trust has been misplaced.

To analyse, as thoroughly as one may
do in rhyme,

The clever little jokers you have used
from time to time;

From each and every lame excuse its
logic to digest;

You never tried to lay the egg—why
clutter up the nest?

(To be continued)

—Athabasca Echo.

—

Corp. W. Knight, who spent the

week in Blairmore, returned to Cal-

gary today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith, of Lund-
breck, have received word of the mar-
riage of their second son, Mr. Harold

Duval Smith, to Miss Ruth Haydon,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H.

Townsend, of Njalo, Wellington, New

Zealand. The marriage took place at

Khandallah on November 19th last.

The groom attended Calgary normal

school in 1938 and joined the New

Zealand air force in November.

RADIO OPINIONS

AND NEWS by John W. Hunt
PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT CFAC

AN ARMY OF NURSING SISTERS FINDS THE RED CROSS EVER READY

In the years 1914-1918, I was in

France as a nursing sister and matron

with the C.A.M.C. To tell of the bless-

ings of that seemingly never-ending

stream of box upon box of Red Cross

surgical dressings and bandages which

meant so much, words fail. We eva-
uated our wounded on the way to

"Blighty" lying on Red Cross stretch-

ers, clutching the little cotton bags

containing their cherished souvenirs

and small belongings, dressed and

bandaged by the Red Cross, wearing

its pyjamas, shirts, wrappers, often

with a handkerchief and a box of ciga-
rettes tucked away in the pockets.

And, of course, wearing the socks all

provided so freely by the Red Cross.

Every little while in after years

rumors seem to arise from some un-

known source that our soldiers were

charged for supplies. I never came

across or heard of such a thing and

wish positively and unhesitatingly to

deny any such charges. The Canadian

Red Cross representative in France,

the late Col. Blaylock, was our true

friend and frequent visitor at No. 3

C.C.S. of the Ypres area—ever ready,

with its authority, to fulfill any needs

of our sick and wounded.

As we saw the Red Cross boxes ar-

rive, marked with the names of every

province, indeed every city, from

coast to coast, in Canada, besides the

feeling of deep gratitude and thank-

fulness, one was filled with a sense of

wonder at the tremendous strength

and co-operation of the home front.

So, as one who saw and knew person-

ally the backing and strength of the

Canadian Red Cross services in those

never-forgotten days, I write these

few words—Margaret H. Barbour, R. C.

COUNTER CHECK BOOKS—order
them at The Enterprise office at the
same price as you can get them at
the factory, or from a traveller. Keep
as much money as you can in Blair-

more Cranbrook way, owing to the
small amount of snow fall, consider-
able trouble is expected with heavy-
ing of the road surfacing—which may
necessitate closing of roads to all
heavy traffic during the spring break-
up.

William Aberhart likens the flow
of money and credit to the flow of
blood through the human bloodstream.
He says: "When we examine the
bloodstream and compare it with the

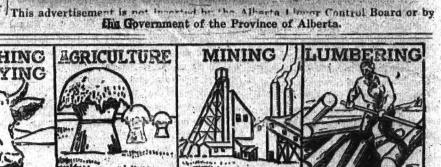
flow of credit, we are following a
principle that will bring us some-
where." Of course, he referred to the
flow of money into his own jeans,
from which it ceases to flow further,
which represents stagnation or para-
lysis. He was right when he referred
to people engaged in farming, min-
ing, lumbering, fishing and manufac-
turing as the only blood producers in
the province. Boy, that old buck knows
what he's talking about!

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by Bright!

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AND
BRIGHT'S CATAWBA

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VINEYARDS



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NEWS FROM EDMONTON

(T. B. Windrow)

Edmonton, Feb. 20.—Alberta's provincial election is just a month away, the Aberhart government having succeeded in its plan to rush the legislature session to a finish in order to hurry provincial voters to the polls ahead of the federal election.

The date of the election is March 21—just five days before the federal vote. The date was set Friday night when Aberhart presented to Lieutenant-Governor Hon. J. C. Bowen for signature an order dissolving the legislature, the premier announced the dissolution and the election date a few minutes later in the legislative chamber.

In spite of war problems and the fact that for the first time in the Aberhart regime there had been no special sessions for a year, the budget of about \$25,000,000 was the largest the people of Alberta ever have been asked to pay. In spite of the fact that grave charges of carelessness and inefficiency in the handling of public funds had been made, the legislative session was the shortest regular session on record in Alberta. Less than a day was spent on the budget; it was pushed through at the rate of \$90,000 every five minutes.

The brevity of the session did not prevent the members from taking their indemnities of \$2,000 each for those seven days of sitting in the legislature.

According to reports from the secret sessions of the caucus, the Social Credit board of strategy wanted the members to accept just a part of that \$2,000, because it was felt that voters might not like to see the members grab \$287 a day each for rushing through their jobs. But, according to those reports, the members objected to losing any part of the full indemnity.

In its rush to choke off the session, the government did not pause long enough to receive and rule the report of the metallurgy royal commission which, under government orders, sat for more than a year investigating the oil industry in Alberta. Close to \$60,000 was spent by the Government on that commission, it is shown by figures made public so far, and it is believed that costs to the companies involved were even more.

The bill to "empower" the Alberta government to apply to the parliament of Canada for incorporation of an Alberta provincial bank was passed during the rush. It was hated as the major piece of legislation, and already indicated as one of the chief planks of the Social Credit party platform in the election campaign.

Members of the opposition in the Alberta house, in opposing establishment of a provincial bank, challenged the Aberhart government with having no intention of actually operating such a bank after asking for a charter. Those legislators also pointed out that provincial banks operated by politicians have a record of disastrous failure; that in Alberta such a bank would merely duplicate present services at great expense to taxpayers, and that it would compete with present chartered banks which pay more than a quarter-million dollars a year to the provincial treasury in taxes.

The provincial treasury lost one substantial source of tax revenue a few weeks ago when the Banque Canadienne Nationale closed up all its branches in Alberta, shareholders and depositors being told at the annual meeting that the step was forced by the fact that, unable to operate profitably in Alberta, although trying to continue service to Alberta people, the bank was forced to close down in this province because of excessive taxes.

And on the day the provincial bank bill went through the legislature, the province defaulted on another two bond maturities, making the total default, in principal alone, \$14,000,000 since the Aberhart government assumed office, in spite of ever-mounting taxation under the budget.

Funds for political propaganda continued to be available from the provincial treasury, however. And the

public accounts committee of the legislature, which is supposed to sit every session to examine expenditures and check on accounts, but had really sat only once since the Aberhart regime came into office, was finally called on the last day of this session. It sat long enough to hear an admission that political pamphlets and cabinet radio talks are being paid for out of the provincial treasury. But the committee refused to sit long enough to investigate grave charges made by Liberal Leader Gray or to examine expenditures on questioned subjects in detail. Social Credit members forced an "adjournment" of the meeting when the opposition members continued to ask questions; figures, therefore, could not be traced or facts brought out.

JOHNNY PIETRASZKO

DIES IN ITALY

Word was received in Coleman last week end of the passing of John Pietraszko, Coleman boy, who three years ago was awarded a scholarship in music that entitled him to training at Warsaw. He was in Warsaw for a month after the general bombardment, and managed to escape to Italy with very little of his belongings. Money had been forwarded to him by Coleyan friends to enable him to return home, but no word was received from him till last week end when a letter arrived from a member of the Italian Red Cross Society, advising of his serious condition. Next followed word from Rev. J. H. Cole, English chaplain in Genoa, that he had died in hospital after two operations.

Musically inclined, he received his first lessons in violin from W. H. Moser, of Hillcrest, and W. J. Harris, then of Coleman, and won great success at various musical festivals in this district.

Tragedy seemed to have dogged the family, for in 1928 his father died following a mining accident and at age of eighteen, and his mother died away three years later. He is survived by a sister and brother, the latter in Coleman. He was in his twenty-second year.

It is a curious fact, but a fact very old. You can keep a fire hot by keeping it cooled.

Considerable of Germany's merchant shipping, as well as her battle fleet, are bottled up. We understand that already several of the freighter skippers have applied for the post of captain of Aberhart's ark.

THE TRUTH ABOUT THE RECORDS

An answer to the Social Credit boodle publication, "The Love Records Tell The Story," has been compiled by the Unity Council of Alberta. In addition to replying to the statements contained in the Social Credit booklet, "The Truth," contains information of general interest on a number of provincial administrative matters. Copies may be obtained by writing the council's secretary, 432 Lougheed Building, Calgary, or 601 Agency Building, Edmonton.

Burpee Steeves, who last year moved to Calgary, has been appointed Indian agent at Brocket, and takes up his new duties on March 1st.

There was a young fellow from Perth, Who was born on the day of his birth,

He was married, they say,
On his bride's wedding day,

And he died on his last day on earth.

"Well, my dear," wrote the wife to her husband in the B.E.F., "did you like those mince pies I made for you?"

"Mince pie?" wrote back the husband. "I thought they were rubber heels. I'm still wearing them."

"Now, Pat," said the magistrate, sympathetically, "who brought you here again?"

"Two policemen, sort," was the laconic reply.

"Drunk, I suppose?" queried the magistrate.

"Yes, sort," said Pat, without relaxing a muscle, "both av them."

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THE PASS EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO

(The Blairmore Enterprise, 1922)

Feb. 22.—There passed away at Blairmore on Saturday last, Lily, beloved wife of Mr. Fred Padgett, following a brief illness.

Seventy-nine above was registered in Blairmore on Sunday.

Charlie Harris, Lethbridge legal light, was this week fined for operating a car without the necessary license plates. Piccarillo acted for the defense.

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EASTER COMES EARLY

THIS YEAR

(The Blairmore Enterprise, 1922)

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The date for the commemoration of Christ's rising from the dead owes its ability to the capricious moon. Easter Sunday is always the first Sunday after the full moon which happens on or next after the 21st day of March, which in northern climates is the first day of spring.

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WHAT WE NEED

We do not need more material development; we need more spiritual development.

We do not need more intellectual power; we need more moral power.

We do not need more knowledge; we need more character.

We do not need more government; we need more culture.

We do not need more law; we need more religion.

We do not need more of the things that are seen; we need more of the things that are unseen.—Calvin Coolidge.

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Responsibility Needed

Of all the disasters caused by fire none excites greater compassion or arouses greater horror and keener sorrow than a conflagration in a school with children present, whether it be in a large institution of learning in a city or in little red schoolhouses in the country.

The lack of experience of young students and their helplessness when faced with an emergency, coupled with their tendency to stampede, enhances the nature of the tragedies which occur when the occupied school catches fire and from time to time the country is horrified by stories of such disasters appearing in the newspapers.

Because of the numbers involved, the most spectacular and at the same time the most gruesome of these school holocausts occur in the larger centres, but there is plenty of evidence that such disasters are all too frequent in the little country schoolhouses, "or the small town schools, even though they do not "make the front page".

The evidence that the fire menace lurks in the small rural or village school can be found in a brochure entitled "1,000 school-fires", recently published by the National Fire Protection Association with headquarters in Boston, Massachusetts, covering, and only partially covering, the school fire record in Canada and the United States for the period, January 1, 1928 to September 1, 1929.

Every trustee and every parent with loved children attending school who has an opportunity to study the statistics and examine the pictures in this little publication would immediately insist upon better precautions being taken in their local schools to reduce the risk to which children are too often subjected because of lack of knowledge, lack of interest or indifference on the part of those who should assume responsibility.

Rural Death Traps

It is true that since the earlier days some precautions have been adopted, some of the risks removed and some safeguards instituted, but the fact that fires occur in school buildings at the rate of six or seven a day in the United States and nearly as many in Canada indicates plenty of room for improvement. The total school loss by fire in the two countries combined is estimated at over \$6,000,000 a year.

The hazards to which children and people are subjected sometimes in the small country schoolhouse is aptly illustrated in the report of a fire which broke out during a Christmas entertainment in a small rural school in Oklahoma when 36 lives were lost.

"Nearly every condition favorable to fire and loss of life was present," says the report. "The building was a frame tinderbox; lighted candles were placed on a very inflammable and insecurely mounted tree; kerosene glass bowl lights on tables were the only illumination; the building was crowded beyond its capacity; one doorway was blocked up by a coal bin, the other opened inward and was difficult to open, and windows were effectively barred; there was not even a fire pall, and the fire was undoubtedly spread when attacked in its incipiency by wraps and bare hands. Those who escaped from the building had to stand by and see the fire burn unhindered, there being no semblance of a water supply or fire apparatus in the vicinity."

A grim reminder of what probably happened while pandemonium reigned in this fire trap is contained in the statement that: "The teacher had at some previous time instructed her pupils, that in case of fire they should try and get out of the building by crawling along the floor toward the door. If any of the children tried to follow this advice, they were certainly killed."

Importance Of Exits

Of the known causes of these 1,000 school fires electrical causes head the list with a total of 97. Smoking and matches come next with 74, and surprising to relate, incendiarism follows closely with 72. The other four major causes are: defective or overheated heating equipment, 68; spontaneous ignition, 66; ignition of flammable liquid or gases, 48; and defective or overheated fuel or chimney, 45. These are responsible for 75 per cent. of the school fires for which the cause is known.

Strong emphasis is placed by a committee of the National Fire Protection Association on the importance of sufficient exits for all schools no matter how small. "Exits should be so arranged that from any part of the building there will be at least two separate means of escape, as located in that case fire or smoke therefrom interferes with the use of one, another exit will be readily available", says the committee. "The exit details themselves are important. Stairs must be properly designed, doors must swing with the exit travel, handrails, lighting, etc., must conform with accepted standards."

While public responsibility for protecting children in school from fire hazards has been generally recognized, the record shows that this responsibility has been met only to a limited extent.

Using Old Invention

Prospecting For Oil Is Now Based On New Method

A new method of prospecting for oil based on an English invention of a decade ago, has been revealed. Drill from within a few feet of the surface, gives direct signs of oil fields that may be buried 10,000 feet below. It will yield not more than a pin-head of gas, but is likely to contain 20,000 times more gas from rotting vegetation than from the richest oil field that may be buried below.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR LIVER

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Your liver is the largest organ in your body and most important to your health. It pours out bile to digest food, gets rid of waste, stores energy, filters out poisons, controls the heart and glands. When your liver gets out of order food decomposes in your intestines. You become constipated, stomach and kidneys can't work well. You feel tired, weak, listless, hazy, dizzy, dragged out all the time.

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FRUIT-A-TIVES The Liver Tablet

Reviewed Her Regiment

Princess Pat Marched Proudly Before Their Colonel-in-Chief

The new edition of Canada's famous regiment of the Great War, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, marched recently in proud review at Aldershot before their colonel-in-chief, Lady Patricia Ram-say.

That was the title and name by which she was officially greeted. She remained to be cheered and toasted as the beloved Princess Pat who, as the daughter of Canada's wartime governor-general, the Duke of Connaught, gave her name to the regiment in the early days of 1914.

Left Large Estate

Princess Louise, Duchess of Argylle, left £239,360 (\$1,064,407), with a residue of \$22,048. Succession duty of £71,211 was paid. It was believed her royal mistress, who died Dec. 3 at the age of 91, left the bulk of her estate to her grand-nephew, the Duke of Kent, and the Duchess of

Approximately eight tons of 36 per cent. nickel-iron alloy castings were used in construction of the structure to support the new 200-inch telescope mirror at Mt. Palmer Observatory, California.

Italy's population increased by 424,394 persons in 1928. 2347

On Equal Footing

Great Britain No Longer Behind Germany In Scientific Research

The Allies are on an equal footing with Germany regarding scientific development and research in this field and the scientific resources of Great Britain and Canada are fully mobilized. Dean G. J. Mackenzie, University of Saskatchewan, acting chairman of the national research council, assured the annual convention of the Canadian Institute of Surveying at Ottawa.

"It is my belief that the rapidity with which England has re-armed after the Munich affair traces back to the fact that industry and research were organized for peace activities, and that the same army of scientists could easily be directed to war effort," he said.

The inferiority complex existing at the beginning of the last war as a result of the more advanced research co-operation in Germany does not now prevail. Surprises like the magnetic mine are no longer surrounded by mystery and vague apprehension. Also, the British equipment, developed with a proper scientific background, is not proving inferior."

Apart from research actually done in the national research laboratories at Ottawa, industrial research laboratories all over the Dominion were working in close collaboration with the national council.

The national research council at present had some 60 war problems under study, said Dean Mackenzie, who now heads the council since Major-General A. G. L. McNaughton, commander of Canada's first overseas division, went abroad with his forces.

While he could not give details of the research being conducted at war, he said generally they were concerned with materials and supplies.

"If I may tell you much, I can assure you this country's scientists are fully prepared," he said.

Man Lonely Outposts

Volunteer Workers In British Listen For Enemy Planes

In scores of lonely outposts along Britain's coasts men spend their time watching and listening for enemy airplanes. They are members of the Civil Observer Corps and someone has been on duty night and day since the early hours of August 24.

Most are voluntary part-time workers who go on duty after business hours. They work for about four hours at a stretch, just watching the heavens and listening.

The exacting scrutiny has turned up eyes and ears to an extraordinary pitch. Many can detect the sound of an airplane long before causal bystanders and identify the make of a British machine long before it gets into sight. They find it easy to detect the note of a foreign fighter.

It is a thankless job, though. The listening posts are in the open air and placed in the highest and most exposed position in the district. Many observers, however, have learned more about astronomy in these weeks than they would have thought possible in a lifetime.

Their work is important. Possibly their view of an enemy plane is the first and final warning given to stand-by warning stations. Britain's great civil defense organization is prepared for action. A tip-off from such a post may result eventually in fighter planes being ordered to intercept the enemy.

Nothing Cheap About It

French Navy Minister Tells People What Sea Warfare Costs

Navy Minister Cesare Campini, urging purchase of armament bonds, gave economy-loving Frenchmen and French-women an itemized account during a broadcast of what sea warfare costs the republic.

The Italian A. one-minute valley took the 23,500-ton battleship *Dante Alighieri*, \$27,000; one 400-pound depth bomb, \$135; one mine, \$1,688; one torpedo \$11,825.

In Many Languages

The Chinese Government began a new radio war against Japan with a broadcasting station which it said had a world range. Location and details of the station were not disclosed, but it was reported starting 24-hour service in 16 languages, including English, French, German, Japanese, Dutch and Arabic.

The Philadelphia Zoo's cat Nicky has chased mice in the bird house for 18 years, but was taught as a kitten to let the birds alone.

American and Canadian fishermen take an annual haul of approximately 3,300,000,000 pounds.

Guatemala is distributing 5,000 toothbrushes to poor school children.



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British Army

Every Kindness And Consideration Is Shown To Troops

Never in the history of the British army has it been so "humanized" as it is to-day. Whitehall seems to be always putting heads together to think up some new "kindness" for troops.

The latest is that women serving with the forces shall be allowed to wash their hands, face and neck, clean their teeth and get dressed.

This lad adds that he comes to school "a mile and a half around the road or a mile and a quarter through the fields." But they all have something to do before they leave school in the morning, and when they leave school they know there are chores waiting at home, and right there one encounters an advantage in farm life. The child is part of it, a participant in the daily routine, and at an early age is made to feel a sense of responsibility. As a time of training it is better than the experience of the average child in a city, where a number of the children are even granted the privilege of riding to school and are deposited at the school door.—Peterborough Examiner.

No Gratuity Attached

"A pension does not go with the Meritorious Service Medal to those that receive it for service with the Canadian forces," national defence headquarters at Ottawa said. "But in the British army where the Meritorious Service Medal is awarded after 21 years meritorious service, the recipient receives a gratuity of £10 per year."

Not Much To Spare

These Germans have been boasting that Russia will be able to send them huge quantities of oil and gasoline from the Baku wells. But one hundred and twenty-five buses operating on the streets of Moscow have just been changed from the gasoline to the coal gas type, on account of a shortage of petroleum products.

A Good-Sized Hole

The largest man-made hole in the world is a copper mine at Blinham Canyon, Utah, which is nearly a square mile in area. More than 232,000 cubic yards of material have been taken from the mine.

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Country Children Busy

Have Many Chores To Do Before And After School

A reporter of the Stratford Bee- con-Herald was visiting a school in West Zorra, where he apparently asked the children to write a short composition for him, telling what they did before they came to school in the morning and again after they were home. There were fifteen who recorded their habits of the day, boys and girls of nine to twelve years, and they all came from farms.

And it does look as though living on a farm had not changed much, because the young folks who gather at this West Zorra school for instruction have all worked before they start the day's schooling. Just about every last one of them. And when they go home from school they work some more.

They milk cows, pulp turnips, put down hay, clean out stables, milk cows, gather eggs, wash dishes, split wood. One lad of nine claims he helps wash the dishes in the evenings, and we make it sisters may be expected to help.

The distance which the children travel to school is also noted, and it ranges from half a mile to two and a half miles, and apparently they all walk.

There is something else which all seemed to consider worthy of mention; that is that they washed after getting up in the morning. Only one pupil mentions anything about cleaning shoes, but the amount of scrubbing and personal renovating done by Kenneth Walker, a lad of nine years, is detailed thus:

"Before I come to school I wash my hands, face, neck and ears, clean my teeth and then get dressed." This lad adds that he comes to school "a mile and a half around the road or a mile and a quarter through the fields." But they all have something to do before they leave school in the morning, and when they leave school they know there are chores waiting at home, and right there one encounters an advantage in farm life. The child is part of it, a participant in the daily routine, and at an early age is made to feel a sense of responsibility. As a time of training it is better than the experience of the average child in a city, where a number of the children are even granted the privilege of riding to school and are deposited at the school door.—Peterborough Examiner.

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Location Does Not Matter

People Will Find News On Any Page In Paper

Scientific study of newspaper reader habits showed "a lot of old fashions" about public interests, position and display, Frederick Dickinson of Chicago told Ohio publishers at Columbus, Ohio.

"For years there was prevalent the idea that a right-hand page was read more intensively than a left-hand page," said Mr. Dickinson, who is Western manager of the American Newspaper Publishers Association Bureau of Advertising.

"Our studies have shown that if there is any difference between the two, the favor is slightly on the side of the left-hand page.

"No matter where it appears or how deeply it is buried a news item or advertisement of real interest will be read by a high percentage of the newspaper subscribers."

Nicknaming A Unit

Royal Air Force Coastal Command Are Called Kipper Kites

The British services have the happy knack of affectionately nicknaming a unit that does a hard task gallantly, and is now appropriately calling a section of the Royal Air Force Coastal Command the "Kipper Kites".

This command assists the navy in doing a big job. It throws defensive screens over wide areas of ocean and maintains ceaseless patrols day after day over the North Sea. It has now to defend itself against fishing trawlers being machine-gunned after they have been sunk by aircraft of the German Luftwaffe. Because of this work, the navy calls the R.A.F. doing it, the Kipper Kites.—Winnipeg Free Press.

Seven hundred thousand varieties of insects have been identified and they don't include people who leave the snow on their sidewalks.

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CANADA'S WAR LOAN WAS WIDELY DISTRIBUTED

Ottawa.—Canada's recent \$200,000 war loan, first loan of the second Great War, was distributed to more than 178,000 individual subscribers, Finance Minister Ralston said in a statement.

"The wide distribution of this loan is a really remarkable achievement on the part of the Canadian people," said Col. Ralston. Combining new money to the total of \$200,000,000 and conversion of March 1915 maturities of other loans to the extent of \$50,000,000 the total of the loan reached \$250,000,000.

Final details of distribution are not yet available for all subscriptions received through dealers, and there are many cases where a single subscription was put in by an employer on behalf of a large number of his employees, Col. Ralston said.

For these reasons the returns received from investment dealers, stockbrokers and chartered banks who were acting as authorized agents for the loan, substantially underestimate the wide distribution the loan received.

Analysis of the returns received showed 178,363 separate subscriptions with an average of \$1,327 each. Of this total number of subscribers, 172,331, or 96.6 per cent, were for amounts from \$50 to \$5,000 with an average of \$664.

Allotments of subscriptions from private individuals, exclusive of contributions and dealers, accounted for \$15,621,950, or 3.4 per cent of the total amount of the loan.

"Almost two-thirds of the \$250,000,000 loan came from private subscribers, as distinguished from corporations and dealers," said Col. Ralston. "As a result of our appeal to the subscriber of small or moderate means, we received no less than 121,407 orders for \$500 and under, with an average of \$235 each."

"They are indeed a happy augury for Canada's wartime financing and a special confirmation of the wisdom of the government's decision to make war savings certificates available in the near future for a systematic and continuing program of savings and investment by the general public."

Final figures showed a total subscription of \$325,526,850 and the total amount allotted was \$250,000,000.

The figure of more than 178,363 separate subscriptions contrasts with 24,862 orders for the first war loan issued during the first Great War.

Canadian Pilots

British Explains Why They Are Best In The World

Comox, B.C.—Sir Ernest Petter, pioneer in the manufacture of Diesel engines in Great Britain, thinks "the British have the best planes in the world and Canadians are the best pilots."

"Canadians make the best pilots because they are mechanically inclined and have individual initiative. When English buy the aircraft from which planes are being driven by a chauffeur the Canadian boy is taking apart a \$50 car to find out how it runs. He knows all about the car as well as how to drive it. And it is the same with the plane he flies."

Contract For Sub-Chasers

B.C. Firm Has Order To Build Four Of Whaler-Type

Vancouver—Clarence Wallace, head of Burrard Drydock Company, said his firm had been awarded contracts in excess of \$3,000,000 for the construction of four whaler-type sub-chasers and some additional naval work.

Wallace said between 500 and 600 men would be employed in the work at the company's plant in North Vancouver, across Burrard Inlet from here.

Construction will start immediately. Three of the sub-chasers are to be completed this year and the fourth in 1941.

British Air Force Losses

London.—Official figures on British air force losses were released to 663, including 534 known dead and 129 missing, as the air ministry issued its 19th casualty list of the war. No Canadian names were included.

Europe Fears Flood Situation

Amsterdam, Holland.—A new peril has seized Europe, that of floods which would follow a sudden and violent rise of rivers clogged with the greatest ice jams in modern times.

Not Acting On Suggestion

Japanese Foreign Minister Rejects Idea To Recall Countrymen
Tokyo.—Foreign Minister Hachiro Arita turned aside a suggestion that Japanese emigrants be recalled from North America to help develop Japan, Japanese-occupied island off China's southern coast and the Netherlands East Indies.

Arita told parliament that it was doubtful whether such a course could be followed "for fear of straining Japanese-American relations," but that the government would co-operate with Japanese emigrants willing to settle elsewhere.

Arita said Japan had no territorial designs on the Netherlands possessions but wished to expand her commerce with them.

A large scale Japanese emigration to the United States was ended by the "gentlemen's agreement" of 1924, but in 1930 the United States had a Japanese population of about 140,000, about half of them born in America. There are 23,342 Japanese in Canada according to the 1931 census.

British Expeditionary Force

Troops In France Now Total Number 300,000 Men

Paris.—The British Expeditionary Force in France already numbers 300,000 men, Brig.-General Edward Spears, president of the Anglo-French parliamentary committee, told a French audience.

Great Britain has 1,260,000 men under arms, of whom 1,000,000 are in the British Army.

General Spears said: "Timely co-operation enabled the British Army to mobilize twice as many men in the early days of this war as in 1914, he said, and by October a quarter million British soldiers had crossed the English channel.

He said 2,000,000 British women have volunteered for public war service, of whom about 600,000 are in uniformed services auxiliary to the fighting forces.

Canada Mobilized

Forces At Home To Stand Behind Men At Battle Front

New York.—Brigadier-General Alex Ross assured the Canadian Club of New York that Canada has mobilized "the whole of her moral forces at home to stand behind the men who soon will be at the battle front."

Canada's first war aim is to win, said General Ross, national campaign chairman of the Canadian Legion war services. "We must win through the united determination of our people. Of that there can be no possibility of doubt."

He own task, he said, is that of the Canadian Legion to see that the Canadian soldier can do for the soldier. We are determined that there will be a fair chance for those who come back!"

To Aid Fins

Twenty Canadian Airmen Will Sail For Finland Soon

Toronto.—A. Kingsley Graham, Finnish consul in Toronto said 20 Canadian airmen, who will be picked from more than 50 volunteers, and scheduled to sail for Finland within the next few days to aid the Finns in their fight with Russia.

"I think no one would expect us to be able to maintain a close patrol or a close blockade of the German coast having regard to the enormous development of shore base aircraft since the late war," he said.

All the men volunteering for the Finnish air force have attempted to join the Royal Canadian Air Force without success, they said.

A United Empire

London.—Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett in a speech to the Royal Warrant Holders Association said Canada and the rest of the empire are wholeheartedly behind the mother country in the war. Even Palestine, where the Arabs and Jews have wide differences, has joined hands with Britain against Germany, the former Canadian prime minister said.

Granted Award

New York.—T. R. Herman attorney for Mrs. Katherine Cline Miller of Lincoln, Neb., a survivor of the destruction last year of the Imperial Airways flying boat Cavalier, said the company had awarded her "approximately \$100,000" in an out-of-court settlement for personal injuries and the death of her husband, Donald W. Miller.

Air Service Resumed

Budapest, Hungary.—Resumption of the Hungarian airline service to Great Britain and France which had been interrupted by the war was announced. The planes to Paris and London will make stops at Venice, Rome and Marseille.

Keeping Close Watch

Allies Will Prevent Germany From Getting Goods Intended For Poles
London.—The ministry of economic warfare revealed the Allies' contraband control had stopped some American shipments of foodstuffs and clothing to German-occupied Poland to prevent them from falling into German hands.

The ministry said it had received a number of inquiries from the United States concerning regarding stoppage of shipments. As a result a statement was issued that the government "is anxious to facilitate as far as possible the provision of relief to Polish victims of German aggression."

The statement said: "Consignments of foodstuffs and clothing for disposal of Poles in German-occupied territory could only be accorded free passage by the contraband control provided there is satisfactory guarantee that the goods will reach those for whom it is intended."

Meanwhile in Washington, the Red Cross said that British blockade authorities have released eight shipments of American Red Cross supplies for Poland that were detained at Gibraltar. One consignment is en route from Genoa, Italy, to Cracow, Poland. One consignment of American Red Cross supplies has reached Cracow already. The material to be distributed on an impartial basis, includes surgical dressings, blankets, shoes, warm clothing and medicines.

The Governor-General of Canada, whose death has saddened the Empire.

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LORD TWEEDSMUIRE

Faith In Allied Cause

Clement Attlee Confident That We Will Win The War

London.—Britain's motto should be "Hope for the Best but Prepare for the Worst," Clement Attlee, Labor leader, said at a luncheon of the national defence public interests committee.

Mr. Attlee said he did not think it was correct to compare the present position with that which existed in 1914.

"It is much more comparable with 1917 or 1918, when the Germans were held on the west and when they were making efforts in various degrees to break out; when it was anticipated, and rightly, that a terrible attack was coming and when as a matter of fact they knew they were beaten," he said.

"That may sound over-confident, but I believe profoundly that we are going to win this war. We all hope that it may be won without slaughter, the great slaughter of the last war, but win it must be if we are to get anything like a peace in which people can live quietly in their homes, relieved of constant menace."

One Law For All

His Majesty's Ships Never Refuse Aid To Drowning Men

London.—Winston Churchill told the House of Commons that the ordinary instincts of humanity require rescue from the sea of drowning men or castaways should they be observed by His Majesty's ships in the course of their duties."

The first lord of the admiralty was replying to a question by Colonel Josiah Wedgwood, Labor, who asked if Mr. Churchill would consider refusing to send ships to rescue German airmen brought down in the sea after "murdering unarmed men."

Mr. Churchill said the admiralty is "ceaselessly engaged" in the defence of British trawlers and fishing boats and hoped that within a month or six weeks "a very great measure of protection will be afforded to our men" in the North sea.

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BRITAIN MAY OFFER PROTECTION TO NEUTRAL SHIPS

London.—Great Britain was said authoritatively to be prepared to offer protection to all neutral shipping passing through her contraband controls whether bound for a British port or elsewhere in view of Germany's latest pronouncements on sea warfare.

Nazis claimed that German submarines had a legal right to sink any neutral ship bound for a British contraband port, whether voluntarily or under British compulsion.

Britain views the German claim of the right to sink any neutral ship even though proceeding between neutral ports if it goes through the Allies' contraband control as "a boast of the illegal policy of sea warfare which Germany already is putting into effect."

The British view is that it is unlawful to sink such a merchant vessel at any time.

A detailed picture of the condition of British merchant shipping was given the King when, in his capacity as head of the merchant marine, he paid a visit to the new building housing the chamber of shipping in the city of London.

Seventy-two survivors of the Sultan Star, which was torpedoed while en route to Britain with Argentine frozen meat, landed a west coast port. Captain W. H. Bevan said only one man was lost and two injured.

The success of Britain's convoy system against submarine attack is credited largely to the navy's secret "radio" device which enables ships to attack undersea raiders with depth bombs even after they dive.

Halts War Orders

Italy Suspends Work On Armaments For Allies And Neutrals

Rome.—German pressure was believed responsible for an Italian government order to the nation's heavy industries to suspend work for the time being on armament orders from the Allies and neutral powers.

The order was understood to have been drafted by the supreme war council, which held a series of meetings under Premier Mussolini.

The order was expected to result in a temporary halt in purchases by foreign commissions, now operating in Italy. Observers said Italian concerns had been working on big orders for the Allies, with Britain and France supplying the necessary raw materials.

Since the beginning of the war Italian industry has been working at capacity on armament orders from both neutrals and belligerents, irrespective of those powers' political leanings.

Important War Gifts

Indian Princes Make Contributions To Further War Effort

New Delhi.—Important war gifts in money and material from all classes of Indian society continue to reach Viceroy Lord Linlithgow.

Latest contributions include:

From the Maharajah of Bhopal, about \$60,000 and permission to use the workshops of the Bhavnagar state railways for manufacture of munitions and other war supplies.

The Maharajah of Rewa, food and agricultural produce valued at about \$30,000, for the defence of India service or for export.

Maharajah of Dewas, an ambulance unit with 32 bearers, an officer and a surgeon.

Will Have No Vote

Ottawa.—The chief electoral officer Jules Castonguay announces Canadian citizens who have been interned in concentration camps will not have a vote. They will be prohibited from voting under the section of the Elections Act which deals with those in penal institutions.

Members Of Parliament In Army

London.—Sixty-five members of parliament are serving in the British army apart from those holding honorary positions, it was stated in a written answer in the House of Commons.

Treaty With Belgium

London.—The British ministry of economic warfare announced the conclusion of Anglo-French negotiations with Belgium for a complete war trade agreement.

"Now I will ask Bro. H.—to lead us in prayer. I am not competent!"

Aberhart's ark has already cost the people of Alberta plenty. It wasn't built by Ford.

Simultaneously with the dissolution of the Alberta legislature, the price of bull advanced.

Mrs. Ruth McBride will contest the Macleod federal constituency in the interest of the C.C.F.

"Sing a song of sixteen,
A pocket full of rye.
Abie couldn't start a bank
And really don't know why."

Abie'd be a lot safer addressing a meeting at Okotoks or High River right now than in the month of July. The ground is frozen now.

George Rider Davies of Macleod, has been chosen by the Conservatives to contest the Macleod constituency in the forthcoming federal election.

Social Credit members of the cabinet and legislature of Alberta should now pool their unearned wealth as a foundation nucleus for a provincial tax.

Luigi Denotaris has decided to return to Blairstown from Coleman, and will open up in the shoe repair business next door west of The Enterprise on Monday next.

A Tortorelli has received his discharge from the army service at Calgary, and returned home to Blairstown this week. "For" failed to qualify for overseas service physically.

A farce comedy in one act of some fifteen minutes was presented over the air on Monday night between John Blackmore, M.P., and William Aberhart. Some local parties listened to it.

The local curling club have been apprised of a new competition trophy being provided by Mr. James Smith, general proprietor of the Cosmopolitan hotel. The trophy has been on display in the hotel rotunda for the past week.

Rev. E. G. Hansel, M.P., of Vulcan, has again been nominated Social Credit standard bearer in the federal constituency of Macleod. His nomination could not very well be supported in this district, where he is little known.

The daily issue of foodstuffs to feed an army division of, for instance, 16,000 men, takes on gigantic proportions. Eight tons each of beef, bread and potatoes; one ton of jam, another of butter, as well as 28 pounds of pepper are required.

At a social hour following a banquet recently, it is said that one chap gave selections on the piano, another gave three vocal solos, Frank Barrington gave a comic skit, Kellicut gave an address, and a Scotchman from Blairstown gave nothing.

Alberta is being advertised as "A Land of Opportunity." A number of them have been assembled at Edmonton during the past four or five years. All have really realized their dreams. If Albertans wish for the opportunity of paying exorbitant and unnecessary taxes, they should return that gang to office.

Many local friends of Albert Morris, who went over to England from Edmonton with the first or second contingent, will be pleased to learn that he has recently been promoted to the rank of corporal with Batt. H. G. Co., Edmonton Regiment, C.A.S.F. His knowledge of First Aid assisted considerably towards his rapid promotion.

About thirty from Blairstown attended the independent nomination rally at Lundbreck on Tuesday night, at which C. J. Tompkins was the unanimous choice. "C. J." is assured the support of the big majority of people in the foothills and prairie country as well as a big share of support from Pass towns, where he is by far better known than any other citizen of The Pass—and 500 per cent better known than our representative for the past four years.

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Local and General Items

The following will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors interested, parties leaving or holding on short trips, house parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversary, etc. Please item in 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

The ballots in this riding will represent Hansell's popularity.

An Alberta paper refers to a treasury branch as the Canadian Bank of Aberhart.

The dismissal of "Sousa's Band" took place at Edmonton on Friday night last.

Although The Coleman Journal appeared much like a yellow sheet last week, the Journal isn't really in that class.

A coat valued at \$35, belonging to Charlie Cheeseman, of Cardston, was stolen from a vets' club at Calgary on Tuesday.

Owing to rush of work in our job department, we are compelled this week to cut down considerably on our news matter.

Max Hoffman, proprietor of the Progress Clothing Co. at Lethbridge, convicted of having stolen merchandise in his possession, knowing it to be stolen, was fined \$100 and given two months hard labor.

Over in Germany, the higher ups shed tears over any sign of cruelty committed by the Allies. In Alberta they are shed for the poor underfed and underclothed people, who are that way because of an overburden of taxes.

Two large truckloads of fencing material from British Columbia passed through Blairstown on Thursday morning, enroute to Edmonton, to be used in the construction of a corral for the members of the outgoing government.

Lady Tweedsmuir, who has settled down to preparations to move to the United Kingdom, has sent some 50,000 books to homes on the prairies and in the Peace River district in recent years. Lady Tweedsmuir expects to bid Canada good-bye in about a month hence.

Roger Hedenstrom, of Lethbridge, who while hunting big game discharged a firearm at another person, is no longer entitled to hold any game license whatsoever, according to a notice appearing in the Alberta Gazette.

The same rule applies to Pierson Arthur Myntoff, of Kevisville, Alberta.

At a social hour following a banquet recently, it is said that one chap gave selections on the piano, another gave three vocal solos, Frank Barrington gave a comic skit, Kellicut gave an address, and a Scotchman from Blairstown gave nothing.

Alberta is being advertised as "A Land of Opportunity." A number of them have been assembled at Edmonton during the past four or five years. All have really realized their dreams. If Albertans wish for the opportunity of paying exorbitant and unnecessary taxes, they should return that gang to office.

Many local friends of Albert Morris, who went over to England from Edmonton with the first or second contingent, will be pleased to learn that he has recently been promoted to the rank of corporal with Batt. H. G. Co., Edmonton Regiment, C.A.S.F. His knowledge of First Aid assisted considerably towards his rapid promotion.

About thirty from Blairstown attended the independent nomination rally at Lundbreck on Tuesday night, at which C. J. Tompkins was the unanimous choice. "C. J." is assured the support of the big majority of people in the foothills and prairie country as well as a big share of support from Pass towns, where he is by far better known than any other citizen of The Pass—and 500 per cent better known than our representative for the past four years.

Some say "Red" Rorstrum is going "over there" to make a killing.

Aberhart declined an invitation to address a meeting at High River. Certainly!

Mrs. A. S. Partington has returned to Creston from a two month visit to Winnipeg.

At a recent party at Coleman, music was supplied by three saxophones and seven musicians.

Members of the Alberta legislature were paid at the rate of \$226 a day for the duration of the recent session. Not bad at all.

Scribulous: At least some of Aberhart's political campaign talk will be left off with a text from the Holy Scriptures.

George Stott, representing Barber-Ellis of Alberta Limited, paper dealers and manufacturers, was a visitor to The Enterprise on Wednesday.

The six 1500-ton destroyers of the Royal Canadian Navy are equipped with 4.7-inch guns, which can throw about a ton of metal a minute as fast as eight miles.

Floyd M. Baker has been appointed to succeed G. L. MacLachlan as chairman of the Social Credit Board. He will draw down eight bucks a day and expenses.

Lieutenant James Malcolm Cameron, aged 26, newspaper man, town councillor and soldier, has been chosen Conservative candidate for Pictou County, N.S., in the forthcoming federal election.

On Saturday last, Pat Lenihan was acquitted at Calgary on the charge of offence of making statements intended or likely to cause disaffection to His Majesty or prejudice recruiting or discipline of His Majesty's forces.

Provision is being made for the inclusion in the Dominion archives at Ottawa of pictures (enlarged) of Canada's would-be political candidates, or "A Rogues' Gallery" in other words. It is understood that laughter aids health.

Mrs. Hugh Brown, 42, of Fernie, died in a Calgary hospital on Sunday, following a brief illness. She is survived by her husband and three sons. Mrs. Ben Doratty, of Natal, is a sister. The remains were laid to rest at Fernie on Wednesday afternoon.

One of the fastest flights on record across the Rockies was recently made by Trans-Canada Airlines, when "trip one" arrived in Vancouver 25 minutes ahead of schedule after leaving Lethbridge on time. The big Lockheed accomplished the 469 miles in 2 hours and 35 minutes.

There are many in Alberta who had a little respect for Old Bill four years ago. My, how opinions change!

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